MONTANA PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION

University of Montana Law School Missoula, MT

October 18, 2013

Meeting Agenda
(All Times Approximate)

8:00	1.	Call to Order
8:00 – 8:15 a.m. 8:15 – 8:30 a.m. 8:30 – 10:00 a.m.	2.	Performance Evaluations and Pay Adjustments (Process Overview) A. Public Comment B. Executive Session (closed) (*Action Item)
10:00 – 10:05 a.m.	3.	Minutes of July 15, 2013 Meeting (*Action Item)
10:05 – 10:30 a.m.	4.	Commission Liaison/Executive Board Reports
10:30 – 11:45 a.m.	5.	Commission Questions/Comments on Submitted Reports A. Overview of Consolidated Operating Plans B. Chief Appellate Defender Report/Operating Plan C. Chief Public Defender Report/Operating Plan D. Conflict Coordinator Report/Operating Plan i. Final Standards for Stand-by Counsel (*Action Item) E. Contract Manager Report F. Training Report G. Financial and Operating Status
11:45 – 12:00 p.m.	6.	Public Comment
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.		Lunch
1:00 – 1:45 p.m.	7.	Update on Ethical Caseloads and Refusal of Appointments
1:45 – 2:30 p.m.	8.	Committee Reports A. Contracts Process i. New Contract Attorney Rate (*Action Item)
2:30 – 2:45 p.m.		Break
2:45 – 3:00 p.m.	9.	Governor's Report (*Action Item)
3:00 – 3:15 p.m.	10.	Cost Recovery Exception (*Action Item)
3:15 – 3:30 p.m.	11.	Public Comment
3:30 – 4:15 p.m.	12.	Old Business/New Business (*Action Items) A. Review Committee Purposes/Appointments B. Administrative Rule Review C. Pay Adjustments for Direct Reports (*Action Item) D. Final Standards for Stand-by Counsel(*Action Item) E. New Contract Attorney Rate (*Action Item) F. Governor's Report (*Action Item) G. Cost Recovery Exception (*Action Item)
4:15 – 4:30 p.m.	13.	Set Future Commission Meeting Dates
4:30 p.m.	14.	Adjourn